

House Resolution No. 3190

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an outstanding Missouri citizen who has brought great commitment and steadfast dedication to the teaching profession; and

Whereas, Raymond G. Armstrong, Ph.D., an esteemed resident of Florissant, Missouri, will officially retire from the Normandy School District on June 30, 2004, after a successful career in education that has spanned an incredible forty years; and

Whereas, Dr. Armstrong has played an integral role in the educational development of many youngsters as the Superintendent of Schools for the Normandy School District for seven years; and

Whereas, Dr. Armstrong gained an immeasurable amount of teaching experience at schools in Iowa and Michigan for thirty-three years prior to joining the Normandy School District; and

Whereas, Dr. Armstrong is exceedingly proud of his affiliation with such important organizations as Phi Delta Kappa, the Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development, the Missouri Superintendent's Forum, the American Association of School Administrators, and the Missouri Association of School Administrators, just to name a few; and

Whereas, a proud recipient of the St. Louis Gateway Classic Sports Foundation 2003 Superintendent of the Year Award, Dr. Armstrong has been abundantly blessed with the love and admiration of a wonderful family whose members include his devoted wife, Ida M. Armstrong; and his daughter, Sheila L. Armstrong, D.D.S.; and

Whereas, Dr. Armstrong will be honored for his contributions to education during the 2004 Normandy School District Staff Recognition Dinner:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in expressing our utmost appreciation to Dr. Armstrong for his forty years of unparalleled service to the Normandy School District and to the education of Missouri's youngest citizens, and in wishing him the long, enjoyable retirement he so richly deserves; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Dr. Raymond G. Armstrong.

Offered by _____
Representative Esther Haywood
District No. 71

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3190, adopted May 24, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker